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LOUISVILLE COCAINE DEALER INDICTED

-- Attempted to sell \$37,000 to \$40,000 of drugs

David L. Huber, United States Attorney for the Western District of Kentucky, announced today that on September 20, 2006, a federal Grand Jury in Louisville, **returned an Indictment** charging **MARSHALL PENCE**, age 37, of 10313 Arbor Oak Drive, Louisville, Kentucky, with attempting to possess 2 kilograms of cocaine with the intent to distribute.

The Indictment alleges that on June 22, 2006, **Pence** attempted to possess with the intent to distribute 500 grams or more of cocaine. The street value of 2 kilograms of cocaine is between \$37,000.00 and \$40,000.00.

If convicted, the maximum potential penalties are not more than 40 years imprisonment, a \$2,000,000 fine, and supervised release for a period of 4 years. There is a mandatory minimum sentence of 5 years.

The case is being prosecuted by Assistant United States Attorney Brian Butler, and it was investigated by the Drug Enforcement Administration.

Pence is scheduled to appear for arraignment before the United States Magistrate Judge on September 26, 2006, at 10:00 a.m. in Louisville, Kentucky.

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The indictment of a person by a Grand Jury is an accusation only and that person is presumed innocent until and unless proven guilty.

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